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SUBJ:POSSIBLE VISIT OF VOLSPKR IHAB HASSAN

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1. VERY INTERESTED IN VISIT BY HASSAN FOR PERIOD OF AT LEAST ONE WEEK. HASSAN IS WELL-KNOWN TO LEADING SOVIET EXPERTS ON AMERICAN LIT, SEVERAL OF WHOM HAVE SUGGESTED HIM BY NAME WHEN FUTURE VISITS OF AMERICAN WRITERS, CRITICS ARE DISCUSSED. ALL TOPICS PROPOSED REF WOULD BE OF INTEREST AT SOVIET RESEARCH INSTITUTES, UNIVERSITIES, LIBRARIES, PUBLICATIONS, WRITERS' UNIONS.
2. DEPENDING ON PERIOD AVAILABLE FOR VISIT TO USSR, WOULD ATTEMPT TO ARRANGE PROGRAMS IN MOSCOW, LENINGRAD, KIEV, TBILISI AND KRASNODAR'. WOULD NEED ROUGHLY FOURTEEN DAYS TO COVER ALL CITIES THOROUGHLY.
3. IF HASSAN AVAILABLE FOR EXTENDED VISIT, EMB MAY PROPOSE HIM TO UNION OF WRITERS AS GUEST UNDER ARTICLE X OF CULTURAL AGREEMENT.

4. WOULD MRS. HASSAN ACCOMPANY?

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